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**COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS  
-- NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

**I.** This replies to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) mailed March 27, 2002.

A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application is enclosed.

**DECLARATION OR OATH**

**II.** No declaration or oath was filed. Enclosed is the original declaration or oath for this application.

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

**III.** An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO Form 1449 are enclosed herewith.

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**ASSIGNMENT**

**IV.** An assignment from the Inventors to Femcare Limited is enclosed herewith, along with a Recordation Form Cover Sheet.

**COMPLETION FEES**

**V.**

**1. Surcharge Fees**

Late payment of filing fee and/or late filing of original declaration or oath (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(e))	\$130.00
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**2. Assignment (See "ASSIGNMENT  
COVER SHEET")**

\$ 40.00

Total Completion Fees	\$170.00
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**EXTENSION OF TIME**

**VI.** The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136(a) apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

**TOTAL FEE DUE**

**VII.** The total fee due is:

Completion fees	\$170.00
Extension fee (if any)	\$0.00
Total Fee Due	\$170.00

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**PAYMENT OF FEES**

**VIII.** Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$170.00.

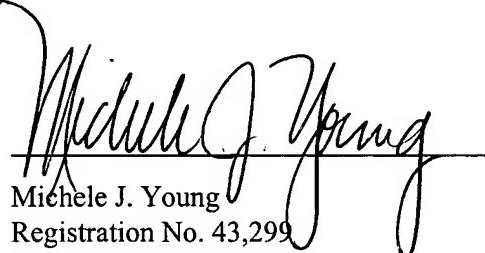
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**AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE ADDITIONAL FEES**

**IX.** The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees that may be required by this paper and during the pendency of this application to Account No. 19-0120.

37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(a)(1)-(5) (extension fees pursuant to Section 1.136(a))  
37 C.F.R. Section 1.17 (application processing fees)

Date: April 29, 2002



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